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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hodges, *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 2151

Application No.: 10/720,941

Examiner: Tran

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Attorney Docket: 030006

Title: "Methods for Providing Communications Services"

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner:

The Assignee respectfully requests an extension of time in which to file this appeal. The Assignee respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one month extension of time from February 28, 2008 to March 28, 2008. The Commissioner is respectfully requested charge the 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (a) (1) large entity fee of \$120.

The fee for this one month extension of time is calculated from the date of mailing of an Advisory Action. A final action was mailed November 27, 2007. The Assignee submitted a request for reconsideration on January 25, 2008, and the Office mailed an Advisory Action on February 28, 2008. Because the Advisory Action was mailed beyond the 3-month due date of

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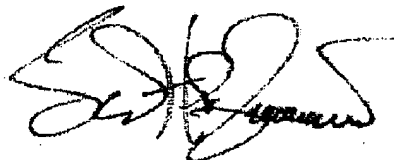
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February 27, 2008, any fee for an extension of time is calculated from the date of mailing of the Advisory Action. Hence, the Assignee respectfully petitions for a one month extension of time from February 28, 2008 to March 28, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Scott P. Zimmerman', with a large, stylized initial 'S' and 'Z'.

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